Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 14 Oct 2020 until 23:59 on Thursday 15 Oct 2020

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 14 Oct 2020 at 02:41 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for settled conditions through the rest of the week.

Headline for Wednesday 14 Oct 2020: Early showers, then dry and bright

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 14 Oct 2020

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Light rain	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
30%	30%	10%	10%	00%	<05%

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Weather: Cloudy start this morning with a few showers. Dry and much brighter conditions spreading westwards through the morning to leave a dry and bright afternoon.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Low through most of the day but increasing slightly into the afternoon, high during the evening.

Visibility: Poor on hill tops for much off the day, moderate or good at lower levels.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	28/36 NE	26/34 E	18/23 E	15/20 NE	12/16 NE	14/19 NE	16/21 NE
900	23/28 NE	24/32 E	16/21 E	13/17 NE	11/15 NE	12/15 NE	12/16 NE
600	15/19 NE	12/20 E	11/16 E	9/13 NE	7/11 NE	7/11 NE	8/12 NE
300	7/17 NE	6/16 NE	7/15 E	6/12 NE	4/11 NE	4/9 NE	3/9 NE
Glen	4/17 NE	3/12 NE	4/12 NE	4/13 NE	3/10 NE	2/7 NE	2/7 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	2/-6	1/-6	1/-4	2/-4	0/-5	-1/-6	-2/-8
900	4/-1	4/-1	5/-0	5/1	3/-1	2/-2	1/-3
600	6/2	6/3	7/4	7/5	5/3	5/2	4/1
300	7/5	8/6	10/8	10/8	7/6	5/4	5/4
Glen	7/5	8/7	11/10	11/10	7/7	5/5	4/4
Freezing Level*	1600m	1400m	1400m	1300m	1300m	1100m	1100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Feeling cold near summits under cloud cover

Forecast for Thursday 15 Oct 2020
Weather: Largely dry with sunny spells through the morning, perhaps some low cloud with the chance of spots of light rain possible into the afternoon.

Maximum wind: Northeasterly 15 mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: High during the morning becoming moderate into the afternoon with some patchy low cloud filtering in from the north.

Visibility: Generally good, potentially poor at times on hill tops during the afternoon.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 5 rising to plus 9 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 1 Celsius
Freezing level: 1000 m

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